DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: COMMISSIONER KEMPTON

COMMISSIONER SMITH COMMISSIONER REDFORD COMMISSION SECRETARY

COMMISSION STAFF

FROM: KRISTINE SASSER

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DATE: JANUARY 21, 2010

SUBJECT: FALLS WATER COMPANY'S APPLICATION TO INCREASE ITS

BASIC RATES AND CHARGES, CASE NO. FLS-W-09-01

On September 2, 2009, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline that suspended the Company's proposed effective date of September 10, 2009. Order No. 30893. On September 16, 2009, a Notice of Public Workshop and Notice of Modified Procedure was issued setting a deadline for comments to be filed no later than October 7, 2009. Order No. 30899. On September 30, 2009, Commission Staff filed a Motion to Suspend Deadline for Filing Comments. The Commission granted Staff's Motion to Suspend and directed Staff to present a feasible schedule to the Commission for approval after meeting with the parties to discuss the processing of the case. Order No. 30927.

Pursuant to the Commission's directive, the Staff and Company recommend the following schedule:

Comment Deadline February 11, 2010
Company Reply Comments February 19, 2010
Public Hearing February 23, 2010

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to adopt the schedule as recommended by the parties to this case?

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